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PROBABLE VC/NVA ACTIVITY PARROT'S BEAK
PH BAVET (1) CAMBODIA
11-06N 106-04E

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BOARD EXEMPLIFIES THE CONCENTRATIONS OF PROBABLE VC/NVA ACTIVITY WHICH ARE NOTED ON THE CAMBODIA/SOUTH VIETNAM BORDER.

2. LOCATION:

12 NM SSW OF TAY NINH CITY, 41 NM WNW OF SAIGON, 4.5 NM NW OF PH BAVET (1).

3. BACKGROUND:

[REDACTED] AND GIANT DRAGON COVERAGE OF THIS AREA IN THE PAST YEAR HAS RESULTED IN NUMEROUS INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATING EXTENSIVE PROBABLE VC/NVA ACTIVITY, INCLUDING CAMPS, TRANSSHIPMENT POINTS, STORAGE AND BIVOUAC AREAS.

4. MISSION READOUT:

[REDACTED] AND GIANT DRAGON IMAGERY COVERING THIS AREA HAS REVEALED AT LEAST EIGHT AREAS OF CONCENTRATED PROBABLE VC/NVA ACTIVITY TOTALING OVER FIVE HUNDRED (500) BUILDINGS.

THESE AREAS EXTEND INTO CAMBODIA TO A DEPTH OF 2.6 NM AND ARE DISPERSED ALONG THE BORDER FROM 11-04N 106-05E TO 11-11N 105-58E. THEY CONTAIN NUMEROUS FOXHOLES, AUTOMATIC WEAPON POSITIONS, ROW CROPS, AND A PROBABLE TRAINING SITE.

PHOTO 1 DEPICTS A PROBABLE VC/NVA AREA WHICH CONTAINS OVER 125 PARTIALLY

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CONCEALED/CAMOUFLAGED BUILDINGS, ROW CROPS, AND SEVERAL STORAGE PITTS WITH A PERIMETER DEFENSE OF FOXHOLES AND AUTOMATIC WEAPON POSITIONS. HEAVY GROUND SCARRING, NUMEROUS TRAILS WHICH CRISS-CROSS THE BORDER AND APPROXIMATELY 55 PERSONNEL ARE ALSO OBSERVED.

PHOTO 2 ILLUSTRATES PARTIALLY CONCEALED/CAMOUFLAGED PROBABLE VC/NVA ACTIVITY IMMEDIATELY NORTH OF PHO SAM VILLAGE. AT LEAST 70 BUILDINGS, ROW CROPS AND SEVERAL FOXHOLES ARE DISCERNABLE WITHIN A WOODED AREA.

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